

Biological/Range Technician (Invasive Plant Spraying Crew)



U.S. FOREST SERVICE



Wage: GS-3 \$11.95/Per Hour,
GS -4 \$13.41 to \$13.41 / Per
Hour, GS-5 \$15.00 / Per Hour

Dates: These are temporary assignments that start in late May and may run up to six months. Length of assignments and pay rate depend on applicant availability and qualifications, project workloads, and funding.

Location: Duty stations will be in the following Colorado areas: Blanco, Dillon, and Rifle.

Job Announcement Numbers:

- OCRT-404-4-PLANT-DT
- OCRT-404-5-PLANT-DT
- OCRT-404-6-PLANT-DT
- OCRT-404-4-NATRES-DT
- OCRT-404-5-NATRES-DT
- OCRT-455-3-RANGE-DT
- OCRT-455-4-RANGE-DT
- OCRT-455-5-RANGE-DT

Positions will be hired at various GS levels. Apply to all of the above three OCRT numbers to increase your chances of getting hired.

White River National Forest Summer 2012

WRNF Website: <http://www.fs.usda.gov/goto/whiteriver/jobs>

Duties for this position include the following:

- Perform a variety of duties related to implementation of on the ground noxious weeds and invasive plant control
- Position involves invasive non-native plant management and monitoring in both front country and wilderness settings
- Identify plants, survey for target plants, collect data on infestation location and status, and control invasive plants using hand-pulling, hand tools, and herbicide
- Work in teams that may include several volunteers
- Duties will involve hiking to remote front country locations, backpacking to remote areas in the backcountry, with some work locations in the wilderness
- Position will utilize herbicides applied with backpack sprayers or off highway vehicles
- The work is performed outdoors in rugged terrain; to include very steep, wet, muddy, rough, uneven or rocky surfaces; positions require physical exertions, such as, bending, crouching, stooping, stretching, reaching, or similar activities.

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